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DGS Newsletter

Brick Wall Solutions: Bradshaw by Terri Bradshaw O'Neill

[Editor's Note: Terri Bradshaw O'Neill is the winner of the 2004 DGS Writing Award for Division II: Articles Or Books Of Historical Or Genealogical Interest, from which this article is extracted. We encourage you to enter the 2006 Writing Competition (see pages 105-6).]

The Bradshaw lineage was pursued to William T. Bradshaw (1825-1907) with relative ease, but when his parents could not be easily identified, the lineage was abandoned for more fertile genealogical ground, and taken up again periodically when curiosity demanded. There were occasional concerted efforts to thoroughly and methodically study the census records, and by careful analysis, establish the parentage of William T. Bradshaw, but the analysis failed to produce the expected conclusive results. Similar concentrated efforts focusing on deeds, estate records and marriage records certainly added vital information, but still no conclusive proof.

The phenomenon of the Internet served to kick-start yet another attempt to solve my dead end mystery, when I discovered (via US GenWeb) the previously unpublished cemetery survey of Phillips Chapel Methodist Church Cemetery in Alamance county, NC. This cemetery was surveyed by members of the Church, Bill and Ann Teer of Graham, NC. There were three pages of Bradshaws buried in that cemetery and I contacted Bill Teer to ask for his help in identifying and possibly connecting those Bradshaws to mine. Bill is a Bradshaw descendant, so he had accumulated a lot of material on the family, and could fill in some of the gaping holes in my information.

Planning a trip to North Carolina, I arranged to meet Bill and Ann Teer. He was particularly helpful in sorting out the various families that appear on the censuses before 1850, when only the head of household is named. But most valuable was his knowledge of the area and the families, and of an unpublished (and undocumented) manuscript written in 1938 by Herbert Snipes Turner in which William T. Bradshaw's parents were identified. Mr. Turner stated that William Bradshaw married Elinor "Nelley" Turner and were the parents of Martitia Caroline and William Turner Bradshaw.

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Reminder: DGS Summer Institute: Mining For Genealogical Treasures is July 27 to 30, 2006 (see pages 103-4).



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**PRESIDENT'S COLUMN****Family Legends hold a Grain of Truth**

While you are traveling this summer to visit with family and friends be sure to ask about family legends. This is the perfect opportunity to get the oldest family members to share their stories about family traditions, school times, and major world events. Record everything you can about these stories because you never know when it will help with your genealogical research.

First, do not be surprised to find several versions of the same story told from different viewpoints. Remember the children's game 'Telephone' where a row of your classmates would pass a message in a whisper from one to another. It was always surprising to find the message at the end of the row was something totally different than what was started by teacher at the other end. Family stories potentially have the same distortion.

However, also do not be surprised when you find that wonderful kernel of truth in these legends. I started my family research with the family legend that I had family living in the Republic of Texas. It took about two years of research to confirm that I really did have an ancestor that came to Texas in 1846.

My husband Bill had a family legend that one ancestor was born on the boat coming from England to the United States. We dispelled that story as a myth when we found the grave of the child in a churchyard in Burwell, Cambridgeshire, England.

Another family legend from his family mentioned that a branch of the family came from Sweden. Bill kept putting off researching this line since research for Scandinavian countries is so different from U.S. research. By accident, he discovered that the family was from Sweden Township, Genesee County, New York. New York was a far cry from the country of Sweden, but there really was a kernel of truth!

As you attend the Family Reunions or visit family this summer, start collecting your family legends. Your next major breakthrough in research just might be in one of those family legends. I was astounded

to find out recently that I really was a cousin to Robert E. Lee. I know you can find something even more amazing floating around in those family stories.

Jeri Steele

Welcome To Our New Members

Sue Cravy
Patricia A. Embry
Cathy Meister
Estella Pryor
Lisa C. Shearin

HAPPENINGS AROUND**DPL'S 8TH FLOOR VOLUNTEER DESK**

Becoming a volunteer is a great way to get involved and meet others. Please join our great group of volunteers by selecting one of the open opportunities or join our substitute list. We are also looking for individuals to fill in when a regular volunteer is out.

- Mondays from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m.
- Tuesdays from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.
- Wednesdays from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m.
- Thursdays from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.
- 3rd Sunday each month from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.
- 4th Sunday each month from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.

We need a Hospitality Coordinator to organize the refreshments at our monthly meetings. Please take the opportunity to get involved and support DGS. Please email the Volunteer Coordinator, Susan Holman, at Volunteer@dallasgenealogy.org or call (972) 484-9680.

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DGS SOCIETY PROGRAMS

DGS General and Special Interest Group meetings are held at the Dallas J. Erik Jonsson Central Library
1515 Young Street

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in the Plaza level auditorium,
unless otherwise noted.

DGS GENERAL MEETING USUALLY MEETS ON THE FOURTH MONDAY

Our monthly meeting begins at 7:00 p.m. with our speaker presentation to follow about 7:30 p.m.

❖ *Come early. We begin at 6:00 p.m. with fellowship, and at 6:30 p.m. everyone is invited to the informal Q & A session.*

At 6:30, Lloyd deWitt Bockstruck (or substitute) hosts a pre-meeting discussion where members and visitors can ask any genealogy-related questions. We expect that, in any group of Dallas genealogists, most questions can be answered by someone in that group. See what you can learn and share. Please, no food or drinks in the auditorium.

Monday: June 26

Speaker: Barbara Rust

Topic: The National Archives--Southwest Region: A National Resource in a Local Setting

Barbara is on the staff of the Fort Worth Branch of NARA.

Monday: July 24

Speaker: Gay E. Carter

Topic: Getting the Most Out of Published Government Documents: The Title Doesn't Have to Say "Genealogy" To Be Useful

Gay E. Carter is Reference/Documents Librarian at the Neumann Library, University of Houston—Clear Lake.

DGS Special Interest Groups

Under the support and guidance of DGS, a number of Special Interest Groups (SIG) have been formed to concentrate on specific areas of genealogy. The DGS website at www.dallasgenealogy.org/special.htm can be consulted for the most up-to-date listings of groups and events with their email addresses, facilitators, dates, times, and meeting places at the J. Erik Jonsson Central Library. Meetings are free and open to the public.

Wednesday, June 21 at 6:30 p.m. in Gates Room, **MacGen Reunion Group (MGRG)**. macs@dallasgenealogy.org.

Saturday, July 1 at 10:00 a.m. in Gates Room, **Family Tree Maker Users Group (FTM)**, [Charts.ftm@dallasgenealogy.org](mailto:charts.ftm@dallasgenealogy.org)

Saturday, July 1 at 1:00 p.m. in Gates Room, **Native American Research Group (NARG)**. narg@dallasgenealogy.org.

Saturday, July 1 at 3:00 p.m. in Gates Room, **Internet for Genealogists Interest Group (IGIG)**, *Bureau of Land Management website*. internet@dallasgenealogy.org.

Saturday, July 8 from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. in Plaza level East/ West Room, **North Texas The Master Genealogist Users Group (TMG)**. tmg@dallasgenealogy.org.

Tuesday, July 11 (second Tuesday) at 6:30 p.m. in the Plaza level auditorium, **Computer Interest Group (CIG)**. Speaker: Diane Bentley. Topic: *More on Making Your Research Pretty and ready to Publish*. cig@dallasgenealogy.org.

Thursday, July 13 at 6:30 p.m. in McDermott Room, 8th Floor, **Writing Interest Group (WIG)**. wig@dallasgenealogy.org.

Thursday, July 20 at 6:30 p.m. in Gates Room, **Speakers Roundtable**. sig@dallasgenealogy.org.

DGS Summer Institute Mining For Genealogical Treasures July 27 – 30th

Mining for Genealogical Treasures will be presented by three of the country's leading genealogists, Mr. Lloyd Dewitt Bockstruck, FNGS, Patricia Law Hatcher, FASG, and John A. Sellers. The Institute location will be the J. Erik Jonsson Dallas Public Library (DPL) Auditorium, 1515 Young Street.

The event begins at 6 p.m. Thursday at the Library; please dine beforehand. Complimentary break-time refreshments will be offered on Friday and Saturday, a lunch provided daily, and brunch served prior to the final lecture on Sunday. You will be on your own for evening meals. Pre-registration at the Institute will include a special Saturday evening lock-in at the Dallas Public Library for Institute attendees only. Vendors will be available during the breaks on Saturday.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

DGS Summer Institute Registration

TIME	SESSION TITLE	INSTRUCTOR
Thursday, July 27th—Surveying the Terrain		
6:00 p.m.	Registration	
6:30 p.m.	Welcome	
6:45 p.m.	They Just Show'd Up	Hatcher
8:00 p.m.	What Are They Saying in the Paper?	Sellers
Friday, July 28th—Picks, Shovels, and Pans		
9:00 a.m.	Daily Details	
9:30 a.m.	Mining for Ancestors in a New Locality	Bockstruck
11:00 a.m.	Dusty Books and Musty Rooms	Sellers
12:00 p.m.	Lunch	
1:30 p.m.	Evaluating Evidence	Hatcher
3:00 p.m.	Identifying Maiden Names	Bockstruck
4:30 p.m.	To Be, To Wed, To Pass	Sellers
Saturday, July 29th—Veins of Gold		
9:00 a.m.	Daily Details	
9:30 a.m.	Techniques to Help Good Become Better	Hatcher
11:00 a.m.	Was Grandpa "His Brother's Keeper?"	Sellers
12:00 p.m.	Lunch	
1:30 p.m.	Precious Metals: PERSI & NUCMC	Bockstruck
3:00 p.m.	Beyond Month, Day, Year	Hatcher
4:15 p.m.	The Other Court in Texas	Sellers
6:00 p.m.	Library Research	Bockstruck & Staff
Sunday, July 30th—Nuggets of Gold		
9:00 a.m.	Brunch	
10:00 a.m.	Lesser-Used Genealogical Records	Bockstruck
11:15 a.m.	What Did They Name the Baby? Genealogical Clues in Given Names	Hatcher
12:15-12:30 p.m.	Closing	

You do not have to be a member to attend.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____

STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____

E-MAIL: _____

Registration Fee for MINING GENEALOGICAL TREASURES:
 \$200 per person for members
 \$230 for non-members
 \$100 Deposit must be postmarked by July 12th, the balance is due at registration on July 27th.

Seminar Fee or Deposit \$ _____

DGS Membership @ \$25 \$ _____

Total amount enclosed: \$ _____

Check Number _____

Use a separate form for each person registering. Copies of this form are welcomed.

Registration Deadline 12 July 2006
 Refunds given, less \$25, if request is postmarked by deadline date.

- Check here for an email confirmation
- Check here for handicap-accessible seating. Any participant needing special accommodations due to a disability should attach a written request at the time of the initial registration.

Make checks to: Dallas Genealogical Society

DGS cannot accept phone or credit card registrations. Do not send certified or registered mail, as we are unable to retrieve it.

Mail to: DGS Institute
 P.O. Box 12446
 Dallas, TX 75225-0446

For more information:
 Website:
www.dallasgenealogy.org/institute/institute.htm
 E-mail: institute@dallasgenealogy.org
 Voice mail: 469-948-1106

Nicknames

If you have a nickname that you want used on DGS event name badges, send an email to:
webmaster@DallasGenealogy.org

or contact Tresa Tatyrek at 972-539-7452

**Interested in AV?
Here's Your Big Chance!**



As DGS expands the number of Special Interest Groups, a new volunteer opportunity has opened. If you're interested in selecting, managing, or operating audio-visual equipment please contact John Wylie at 972-206-2723 or sig@dallasgenealogy.org.

**The DGS 2006
Writing Competition**



The Dallas Genealogical Society Writing Awards Competition is a biennial event meant to:

- Inspire genealogists to write
- Promote high quality research and reporting, and
- Recognize efforts of those contributing to this important phase of genealogy.

Exemplary work in various divisions and categories will receive awards at the DGS Awards Ceremony 11 December 2006.

DIVISION I—FAMILY HISTORY

Category 1: 10,000 words or less
Category 2: More than 10,000 words

Requirements:

- May be formally or informally bound
- Thorough research based on variety of sources
- Pleasing format
- A recognized numbering system
- Full citations using one of the accepted styles in the following bibliography
- Bibliography
- Complete, useful index

**DIVISION II—ARTICLES OR BOOKS OF
HISTORICAL OR GENEALOGICAL INTEREST**

Includes, but is not limited to, articles on methodology, achieving proof, local or county history, beginning genealogy material.

Requirements:

- May be formally or informally bound
- Pleasing format
- Full citations using one of the accepted styles in the following bibliography
- Bibliography
- Complete, useful index

**DIVISION III—FAMILY STORIES, MEMORIES,
CHARACTER SKETCHES**

Includes stories of family traditions, memories of family members or events, and biographical sketches of ancestors. This category is included to encourage beginners to write stories of their families.

Requirements:

- Short-story length articles
- May be one story or a collection of stories
- Sources should be included

**DIVISION IV—COMPILED MATERIAL, SUCH AS
CHURCH, COURT, CENSUS, OR CEMETERY,
ABSTRACTED FROM ORIGINAL RECORDS**

Requirements:

- May be formally or informally bound
- Pleasing format
- Helpful introduction
- Complete, useful index

COMPETITION RULES

- DGS members may participate free. The entry fee for nonmembers of DGS is \$10 per entry.
- Each entrant may submit a maximum of one entry per division.
- Entries must have been compiled or published within the past two years (August 2004 – July 2006).
- Entries must be received by **15 August 2006**.
Mail entries to:

DGS Writing Awards Competition
P.O. Box 12446
Dallas, Texas 75225-0446.

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- The entry form in the Newsletter, the brochure, or a facsimile must accompany each entry.
- A panel of four judges appointed by the DGS Writing Awards Committee will select the winners.
- Certificates and comment sheets for each entry will be presented at the DGS Awards Ceremony **11** December 2006.
- All entries become the property of DGS and will be donated to the Genealogy Section of the Dallas Public Library. The author shall retain all publication rights.

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JUDGING CRITERIA

Entries are judged in three major areas:

1. *Genealogical Content* (50%) Includes writing style, evaluation of evidence, documentation, and source citation.
2. *Writing Mechanics* (25%) Includes sentence structure, word usage, spelling, and grammar.
3. *Presentation of Material* (25%) Includes print quality, format and general appearance, title page, preface/introduction, body of the work, glossary, bibliography, and index.

Questions? Please contact Ed Millis at 214-348-7623 or WritingAwards@dallasgenealogy.org. For additional information, see DGS website: www.dallasgenealogy.org.

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Name _____

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City _____

State/Zip _____

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Title of Entry _____

_____ Division Number/Category

_____ DGS member

_____ Nonmember (fee of \$ 10 per entry enclosed)

Check here for an email confirmation

May we print your Division II and III entries in The Dallas Journal or the DGS Newsletter?

___ Yes ___ No

Signature _____

Date _____

**Next DGS Newsletter
is July, 2006**

**Submissions must be made by June 15, to
advertise August-October events!**

**Email Happi at:
newsletter@dallasgenealogy.org**

You just never know where you are going to meet a cousin!

Jim Eaves from Central Texas hoped to get to Dallas to meet Bob Velke because he had been using The Master Genealogist (TMG) since it was in DOS format. Due to health problems, he did not get to attend the TMG seminar but he did get an unexpected bonus. Diana Moreman Williams, DGS mail administrator, contacted him. They discovered they are 4th cousins, with their most recent common ancestor being Thomas Moreman. He now has over 500 descendants to add to his line!

– Jeri Steele

English State Papers
(continued from the May, 2006 issue)
By Patricia Law Hatcher

State Papers Colonial

The earliest pages of the first volume of State Papers Colonial (1574–1660) contain some extremely fanciful descriptions of America and Virginia. The plans for what became Jamestowne begin on page 5. There is much information about the settlement of the American colonies. The extensive index is keyed to the document number rather than the page number.

The following petition was presented on 1630: 284. This entry gives us insight into daily life, in addition to details about individuals.

“Petition of John Whiting, Thomas Marshall, Edward Hopkins, and John Alcock and others, planters at Connecticut, in New England, to the Privy Council. Set forth that the plantations in New England are in great distress for want of provisions, especially butter and cheese, through the improvidence of those who went over to plant last year, and who have lived at the charge of the country ever since; and the planters in the new plantation of Connecticut in particular, who by reason of the hardships they endured in the old plantation, removed thence in hopes of better accommodation, but the river being barred, they are deprived of supplies enjoyed by others. Through the restraint of transporting provisions they can have no relief, neither from the old planters at the Bay, who have not a competency for themselves. Pray for licence to export to Connecticut 200 firkins of butter, 50 weight of cheese, 400 dozen pair of shoes, and six dozen of tanned hides, without which the planters, to the number of 3,000, must fall into extreme misery.”
 Endorsed “Denied.”

This following 1665 description of Rhode Island (1661–1668: 343) is part of George Carr’s description of the New England plantations.

“This colony, which now admits all religions, even Quakers and Generalists, was begun by such as the Massachusetts would not suffer to live amongst them, and is generally hated by the other colonies, who endeavoured to suppress them, supporting other Indians against the Narragansets. . . Nanhygansett Bay is the largest

and safest port in New England, and fittest for trade. . . . The best English grass and most sheep are in this Province, the ground being very fruitful, ewes bring ordinarily two lambs, corn yields 80 for one, and in some places has grown 26 years together without manuring. Not any places for the worship of God, there being so many sects, but they sometime associate in one house, sometimes in another.”

This is not what we think of as a typical genealogical source. But it can provide rich detail concerning the lives of our ancestors.

Brick Wall Solutions: Bradshaw
(continued from Cover)
by Terri Bradshaw O’Neill

A marriage bond was issued to William Bradshaw and Nelley Turner on 13 April 1823 in Orange county. According to the manuscript, Nelley died at the birth of William T. Bradshaw, her second child, whose birth date was 4 November 1825. I had collected many of the components to reach this conclusion of the parent’s identity many years ago, but a key piece of the information I had, ordinarily considered reliable (specifically the grave marker of Elinor Turner Bradshaw), was incorrect. As a result, I had eliminated William Bradshaw & Nelley Turner as the parents of William T. Bradshaw. My visit to North Carolina gave me some important clues.

- The grave marker on Nelley’s grave in the private Bradshaw cemetery gave her death date as 15 Oct 1825, nearly three weeks before the November 4th birth of William T. Mr. Turner’s manuscript correctly gave her death date as Nov 4th, leading me to speculate that the grave marker was in remarkably good condition for its age and was probably not original, thereby accounting for the mistake. It has since been confirmed by Bill Teer that Elinor “Nelley” Bradshaw’s grave marker was replaced at some point.
- The earliest record I had of William T. Bradshaw was that of the 1850 census of Alamance County, NC, in which he is enumerated with Samuel H. and Martitia C. Turrentine. Martitia is a name that was carried through several generations of Bradshaws, but until I saw Mr. Turner’s manuscript, I was not sure Martitia Turrentine was William T’s sister.

- James Turner, Jr. was the father of Nelley Turner, and he names his two grandchildren, "Nelley" and William in his will. So far in my research, I have found no other reference to Martitia Caroline as "Nelley". Further study of the Turrentines may reveal the use of the nickname for Martitia, or perhaps only James Turner referred to his granddaughter as Nelley, recalling his own deceased daughter. With Turner's manuscript identifying Nelley's father, I then proceeded to the Alamance County Courthouse to find the recorded copy of James Turner's will, and for good measure, I sent for the original of his will at the North Carolina Department of Archives and History.

Combined with all the deed, probate & estate records, marriage, birth & cemetery records, as well as censuses researched, the elements of evidence have finally fallen into place. Some discrepancies remain, but I'm certain that my mystery has essentially been solved. Reviewing all these documents with the added perspective of the new material has resulted in a better understanding of the family links and relationships. Contact with the Teers, who had intimate knowledge of the local history, the families, and the location of the pertinent cemeteries, provided the breakthrough of my brick wall.

[Author's note: Further research in the North Carolina Archives revealed an 1878 probate file of Ann Turner Bradshaw which essentially revised the family compositions of three of the Bradshaw families of this study. For an expanded study of this family, see the more detailed work: *William Bradshaw of Orange and Alamance Counties, North Carolina: A Case Study* which can be found in the 8th Floor Genealogical Section of the J. Erik Jonsson Central Public Library, Call Number: 929.20973 B812YO 2003.]

Hatcher Appointed New Editor of NYG&B Record

We are very pleased to announce the appointment of Patricia Law Hatcher, FASG, as the new Editor of *The New York Genealogical and Biographical Record*, succeeding Harry Macy, Jr., FASG, who is retiring after 20 years with the journal. Ms. Hatcher will assume the editorship beginning with the October 2006 issue.

Patricia Law Hatcher was elected one of the fifty Fellows of the American Society of Genealogists (FASG) in 2000. She is a professional genealogist specializing in problem solving and has spoken at many national conferences and institutes. Her articles have appeared in over a dozen publications. She is the author of *Finding Your Colonial New England Ancestor* (forthcoming), *Locating Your Roots-Discover Your Ancestors Using Land Records*, and *Producing a Quality Family History*; the editor of *The Pennsylvania Genealogical Magazine*; a contributing editor for the *Maine Genealogist*; a consulting editor for Newbury Street Press; and formerly a consulting editor for *The New England Historical and Genealogical Register*, the indexer for *The National Genealogical Society Quarterly*, and a trustee of the Association of Professional Genealogists.

The New York Genealogical and Biographical Record, now in its 137th year, is the second-oldest genealogical periodical in continuous publication, and is ranked among this country's leading scholarly genealogical journals. Ms. Hatcher has been appointed Editor with the confidence that she will continue the high standard of scholarship that Mr. Macy has maintained during his tenure.



Grace Fisher DeuPree Honored

Each year, the Hereditary Society Community recognizes individuals who are active in America's lineage societies.

For her lifelong accomplishments, [DGS Member] Grace [Fisher] DeuPree of Dallas was one of this year's inductees in Washington, D.C.

She has provided leadership both at the local and national levels and has served as the national presiding clerk of the National Society Descendants of Early Quakers and is the current president of the Order of Americans of Armorial Ancestry.

– Family Tree, Lloyd Bockstruck,
Dallas Morning News, May 14, 2006



**Ancestry.com & Beginning Internet
Manuals For Sale**

The Beginning Internet and Ancestry.com workshops of 2005 produced very detailed, step-by-step directions for using RootsWeb.com, FamilySearch.org, HeritageQuest, the USGenWeb, and Ancestry.com. The Internet for Genealogist Interest Group will not be covering any of the sites included in these handouts. They are selling the handouts since they are extensive.

The Beginning Internet (RootsWeb, FamilySearch, HeritageQuest, and USGenWeb) is over 100 pages and is selling for \$25. The handout for the Ancestry workshop is selling for \$8 and covers how to use each of the US census years, as well as many of the other databases.

If you didn't attend the workshops and are interested in purchasing one or both, please contact Tresa Tatyrek at 972-539-7452 or internet@dallasgenealogy.org. If you have never used Ancestry.com, access to many of the databases will be available at the 24 June Lock in, so consider joining us for that event.

**Contributions Sought for
HOGAR de Dallas Journal**

Dear Primas, Primos, Friends, and HOGAR Members:

We need your help and are asking for your **contributions by July 1** to continue publishing a quality annual Hispanic Journal that includes your genealogical family trees, stories, queries, articles, and extracts. Submissions in English or Spanish are acceptable. We are aware of the many hours you spend in your research efforts and greatly appreciate any information contributed for publication in the journal.

We plan to have the journal completed no later than the first part of August so we can send the journal to the members as they renew their membership in August, and have it ready for this year's Texas Hispanic Genealogical conference to be held in Corpus Christi, Texas, starting on August 31, 2006. Based on the feedback we have received, the information published in HOGAR de Dallas journals has helped many of our 'primos' and friends in their genealogy research. If you would like to contribute

to this year's HOGAR de Dallas journal, please contact us at our email: jgbenavide@aol.com. You do not have to be a member to participate. Thanks for any articles contributed to any previous journals and we look forward to publishing more of your genealogy information in the 2006 HOGAR de Dallas journal.

Cariñosamente,
Jerry and Gloria Benavides,
Co-Chairs Journal Committee
HOGAR Web site:
<http://home.earthlink.net/~hogardedallas/index.html>

Hispanic resources at NARA – Part Uno

Part 1: Introduction

The National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) is currently processing microfilmed immigration records of persons crossing the U.S.-Mexican land border ca. 1903-ca. 1955. This article (1) gives background information about the records; (2) describes the government forms used to record information about persons crossing the U.S.-Mexican border; and (3) describes available NARA microfilm publications containing these records. This web page is adapted from Claire Prechtel-Klusgens, "Mexican Border Crossing Records (3 parts), "National Genealogical Society Newsletter, Vol. 25, Nos. 3-5 (May-Oct. 1999): 156-157, 159, 182-183, 287-281.

Part 2: How and Why Immigration Records were Collected

Part 3: Special Conditions on the Mexican Border

Part 4: Immigration Statistics and Definitions
Definitions of Statistical and Nonstatistical Immigrants

Definitions of Immigrants (Permanent) and Nonimmigrants (Temporary)

Part 5: The Records

Who's in the Records?
Arrangement
The Forms Used

Part 6: Available Microfilm Publications

Arizona Ports
California Ports
New Mexico Ports
Texas Ports

Part 7: Where to Find NARA Microfilm Publications
<http://www.archives.gov/genealogy/heritage/hispanic-americans.html>

NEW ACQUISITIONS IN GENEALOGY

compiled by: Lloyd deWitt Bockstruck, FNGS



The following acquisition and contributions have been made to the Genealogy Section.

**indicates a major acquisition*

DONATIONS

The following donations have been made to the Genealogy Section:

- \$12.50 Patricia D. Clifton
- \$100 Patricia Carr Biczynski in honor of Jeri Steele and the DGS Board of Directors
- \$50 North Collin County Genealogical Society in honor of Lloyd deWitt Bockstruck
- \$100 Daughters of the Republic of Texas in honor of Lloyd deWitt Bockstruck
- \$50 Dallas Genealogical Society in honor of Bryan Collins
- \$50 Dallas Genealogical Society in honor of Lloyd deWitt Bockstruck
- \$25 Margaret Palmer

UNITED STATES

- Inheritance in America: from Colonial Times to the Present.
- International Who's Who of Professionals. 3 vols.
- Inventory of the Naval Records Collection of the Office of Naval Records and Library: Record Group 45. Donated by Lloyd de Witt Bockstruck
- Irish Relatives and Friends. Donated by Diane Hinman Reed
- Journal of a Hessian Grenadier Battalion.
- Life on the Potomac River. Donated by T. Franklin Schneider, III
- Medical and Surgical History of the Civil War. 15 volumes.
- Membership Directory, National Society, Sons of the American Colonists.
- Membership Roster. Order of Descendants of Colonial Physicians and Chirugiens. 1996. Donated by Lloyd deWitt Bockstruck
- Membership Roster, 1979. / Hereditary Order of Descendants of Colonial Governors.

- National Conference, September 27-30, 2002, Dallas, Texas./the National Society of the Dames of the Court of Honor. Anonymous donation
- National Year Book. Sons of the American Revolution. 1916.
- New Dictionary of American Family Names. Donated by Kathleen Robertson
- NGS Conference in the States, GENTECH 2005: Conference Syllabus. Donated by Lloyd deWitt Bockstruck
- NOUS News. 2002-2003. [Naval Order of the United States]
- Official Congressional Directory. 60th Congress, 1st Session.
- Official Military Atlas of the Civil War. Donated by Sue Ramsey Smith
- Order Book of the Hesse-Cassel Von Mirbach Regiment.
- Order of Americans of Armorial Ancestry: Membership Roster. 1997 & 2001. Donated by Lloyd deWitt Bockstruck

ALABAMA

- Genealogical Abstracts from Cases in the Alabama Supreme Court. Volume I (1820-1839).
- Heritage of Lowndes County, Alabama.
- Heritage of Sumter County, Alabama.
- History of Clarke County.
- History of Fayette County, Alabama.
- Marriage and Death Notices from Alabama Newspapers and Family Records, 1819-1890.
- Marshall County, Alabama Early Settlers.
- Notes from County Court Minutes, 1838-50, Bibb County, Alabama. Donated by "Pinkie" Feigl
- Pioneers and Residents of West Central Alabama Prior to the Civil War. Donated by Beth Shirley
- Records of Walker County, Alabama.
- Sparkling Waters: a History of Cook Springs in St. Clair County, Alabama.
- Unionists of the Warrior Mountains of Alabama. Volumes A & B.

ARIZONA

- Bulletin. (Northern Arizona Genealogical Society).
- Officer's Directory / Valley National Bank.

COLORADO

- Family Maps of Crowley County, Colorado.
- Family Maps of Pueblo County, Colorado.

CONNECTICUT

- Alumni Directory / Alumni Assoc. of the University of Connecticut. 1990. Donated by Daniel A. Kile
- Barbour Collection of Connecticut Town Vital Records. Volumes 39-43.
- Historical Records of the Town of Cornwall, Litchfield County, Connecticut.
- History of Woodstock, Connecticut. 8 vols. Donated by Shirley Remnant Sloat
- On the Trail of a Legend.
- Wilton, Connecticut. Donated by James B. Evans

FLORIDA

- Oldest City: St. Augustine, Saga of Survival. Donated by Mr. & Mrs. Russell Maxey
- One-Hundred Years of Rockledge. Donated by Barbara A. Ware
- Original Lone Star Republic.
- Original Lone Star Republic: Scoundrels, Statesmen & Schemers of the 1810 West Florida Rebellion.
- Pinewood/Larkin/Cocoplum Cemetery, Dade County, Florida 1898-1947. Donated by Ann Josberger McFadden
- Story of the West Florida Rebellion.
- Survey of Dixie County, Florida Cemeteries.

GEORGIA

- Militia, 1801-1813, Morgan County, Georgia.
- Oconee County, Georgia, Abstracts of Wills, 1875-1966.
- Oglethorpe County, Georgia Inferior and Ordinary Court Records, 1794-1920. Volume 2. Donated by the R. J. Taylor, Jr. Foundation
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- Illinois Authors on the Illinois State Library Building. Anonymous Donation
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- History of the Society of Indiana Pioneers, 1916-2005. Donated by Lloyd deWitt Bockstruck
- Indiana Silversmiths, Clock Makers and Watchmakers, 1779-1900. Anonymous donation
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- Indianapolis, Marion County, Indiana Mortality Record: 1 September 1872-31 December 1881.
- Inventory of Grave Stones and Other Burials in Union Chapel Cemetery.
- Johnson Township Cemetery Records, Ripley County, Indiana.
- Marion County, Indiana Complete Probate Records: January 1830-August 1852.
- Marriage Records, Elkhart County, Indiana, 1830-1867.
- Monroe County Marriage Records. 4 vols.
- Oak Hill Cemetery.

MASSACHUSETTS

- Marriages of Saint Roch Catholic Church, Fall River, Massachusetts, 1899-1982.
- Marriages of St. Jean-Baptiste Catholic Church, Fall River, Massachusetts, 1901-1996.
- Marriages of St. Paul Catholic Church, Blackstone, Massachusetts, 1852-1995.
- Marriages Recorded in the Town of Blackstone, Massachusetts: 1845-1900.
- Marriages Recorded in the Town Reports of Swansea, Massachusetts, 1879-1973. 2 vols.
- Massachusetts Historical Review. Vol. 7, 2005.
- Massachusetts Sources. Donated by Barbara Brixey Wylie
- Massachusetts Vital Records: Newton 1621-1915. 306 fiche.

RESOURCES and AREA EVENTS

- Mayflower Families through Five Generations. Volume 22.
- Memorials of the Massachusetts Society of the Cincinnati. Donated by Massachusetts Society of the Cincinnati
- North American Directory/Pembroke College, Oxford.
- Philip Delano of the "Fortune" 1621. 2002.
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- Pilgrim Migration.

MISSOURI

- Genealogical Abstracts from Howard County, Missouri. Vols. 3 & 4.
- Genealogical Gems from Early Missouri Deeds, 1815-1850.
- History of the Kansas City Club. 1882-1982. Donated by Kathy Duncan
- Index of the Springfield Land Office Sales Book, 1833-1892. Donated by Richard T. Struckhoff
- Index to St. Peter's Public Grounds Burials.
- Jackson County, Mo. Deeds. 2 vols, 1827-1851.
- Kentuckians in Missouri. Donated by Selenda Billington
- Life in Pettis County, 1815-1973.
- Madams, Painted Ladies, and Johns: a Newspaper History of Prostitution in Moberly, Missouri, 1866-1966.
- Marion County, Missouri...Deaths Reported in & Chronological Index to Selected Articles...Vol. 5.

MONTANA

- 1995 Brand Book: Lewis and Clark County. Donated by Barbara Brixey Wylie.
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- Census of the Blackfeet: Montana, 1897-1898.
- Old Fort Benton, Montana. Donated by Shirley R. Sloat.

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- Family Maps of McPherson County, Nebraska.
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- "Death Seem'd to Stare:" the New Hampshire and Rhode Island Regiments at Valley Forge. Donated by Lloyd deWitt Bockstruck
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- Yearbook (Desc. of the Founders of NJ).

NEW YORK

- Diocese of Immigrants: the Brooklyn Catholic Experience, 1853-2003.
- Early Glimpses of New Berlin and Related Areas Nearby. Volume III.
- For Better or Worse: Westchester County Marriage Notices in the Eastern State Journal, May 1845-April 1875.
- Historical Sketch of the UPC of Hebron, Washington County, New York.
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NORTH CAROLINA

- Foot Prints from Macon County's Past.
- Free African Americans of North Carolina, Virginia and South Carolina. Vol. 1. Donated by Lloyd deWitt Bockstruck
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- Gates County Marriage Record Books (1851-1882).
- Graham County, North Carolina: Delayed Birth Records.
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- Greenlawn Memorial Park, Wilmington, NC.
- Heritage of the Toe River Valley. Volume 5.
- History of Cabarrus County, North Carolina.
- History of Surry County Churches.
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- Hyde County (NC) Land Divisions in the Eighteenth and Nineteenth Centuries.
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- Index to the 7th Volume of the Morning Star, September 23, 1870-March 22, 1871.
- Index to the Wilmington Messenger. 3 volumes.
- Indexed 1835 Poll Books, 12th Congressional Dist., NC.
- Transylvania County, N.C. Permanent Register, 1902-1908: Election Registers. Donated by David B. Dibrell
- Twelve Northampton County, North Carolina Families, 1650-1850.
- West Memorial Park. Donated by Martha H. Eisenlohr
- Wills of Deed Book A, Brunswick Co., NC, 1764-1772.
- Wilmington Town Minutes, 1847-1855.
- Winter Park Cemetery, Wilmington, North Carolina.
- Yopp Funeral Home Register, 1909-1935.

OHIO

- Chancery Records Index, 1824-1863 (Muskingum County).
- Cleveland Newspaper Index to Marriages & Deaths (1818-1876).
- Clifford-Shoemaker Funeral Home Records.
- Columbiana County, Ohio, Index to Cemetery Inscriptions. Index.
- Davis-Hammerstein Funeral Home Records. 3 vols.
- Marriage Index of Summit County, Ohio 1840-1900.
- Miami University Golden Anniversary Reunion, Class of 1955. Donated by Shirley R. Sloat
- Miller Brothers Funeral Home at Gettysburg.
- Monroe Township Cemeteries, Harrison County, Ohio.
- Monroe Township, Allen County, Ohio Cemetery.
- Moorefield & Nottingham Townships. Cemeteries (Harrison County, Ohio).
- Mt. Pleasant Presbyterian aka Rankin Cemetery.
- Natural and Statistical View, or Picture of Cincinnati and the Miami Country, Illustrated by Maps. Donated by Francis A. Lindell
- Naturalization Records Index, Ashtabula County, Ohio (1853-1906).
- North Township Cemeteries, Harrison County, Ohio.
- Obituary Abstracts of the 1870s from the Sandusky Daily Register and Sandusky Weekly Register.
- Ohio State History of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Volume 2.
- Our Harrison Heritage.
- Pebble Township & Pee Pee Township Cemeteries.
- Pickaway & Washington Townships Cemetery Inventories.
- Pickaway County, Ohio A to Z Probate Court Marriage Records, Volumes 6-11, 1862-1898.
- Pickaway County, Ohio Partition Records Abstracts.
- Pike County, Ohio, Newspapers Obituaries. 4 volumes.
- Plain City, Ohio, Forest Grove Cemetery.
- Plat Book of Champaign County Landowners, 1894.
- Post Office Records of Alliance, Ohio.
- Public Records of Champaign County, Ohio: Chancery Records of the Court of Common Pleas. 2 volumes.
- Record of Affidavits. Book One: Probate Court, Union County, Ohio.
- Record of School Teachers and Payments, Ashtabula County, Ohio, 1827-1838.
- Residents of Union County, Ohio, Infirmary During the Years 1867-1961.
- Richland Township, Allen County, Ohio Cemeteries.
- Rumley Township Cemeteries, Harrison County, Ohio.
- Salt Creek Township Pickaway County, Ohio Cemetery Inventories.
- Sandusky County Ohio: Index to Marriage Records 1820-1894.
- Sandusky County, Ohio: Landowner Atlas, 1903.
- Sandusky's Yesterdays. Donated by Shirley R. Sloat
- Scripts and Transcripts of Salem Township, Muskingum County, Ohio.
- Seal Township Cemeteries, Pike County, Ohio.
- Shelby Oakland Cemetery & Most Pure Heart of Mary Catholic Cemetery Records.
- Short Creek Township Cemeteries, Harrison County, Ohio.
- Sinking Creek Church, Clark County, Ohio, Presbyterian Session Records.
- Soldiers' Record.
- Spencer Township, Allen Co., Ohio Cemeteries.
- Springfield Township Cemetery and Death Records, Mahoning County, Ohio.
- St. John Lutheran Church: Port Clinton, Ohio Funeral Records.
- St. Mary's Cemetery, Hudson (Summit County) Ohio, 1858-14 May 1988.

OKLAHOMA

- Family Histories: a Bibliography of the Collections in the Oklahoma Historical Society. Donated by Suzan Younger
- Family Maps of Beaver County, Oklahoma.
- Family Maps of Ellis County, Oklahoma.
- Family Maps of Roger Mills County, Oklahoma.
- Family Maps of Texas County, Oklahoma.
- Family Maps of Tillman County, Oklahoma.
- Fort Towson, Arkansas Territory, Post Returns, 1824-1840.
- Gazetteer of Indian Territory. Donated by Lloyd deWitt Bockstruck
- Graduates, the Technical institute... 1964. Donated by Kenneth Gerbode
- Grant County, Oklahoma Land Patents.
- Index to the 1889 Roll of the Shawnee Cherokees.
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- Marriage Books of Tulsa County, Oklahoma. Books 11-20. 12 July 1916-27 June 1920.
- North American Indian Tribes (Excluding Five Donated by Civilized Tribes): a Bibliography of the Collections in the Oklahoma Historical Society. Donated by Suzan Younger
- Oklahoma History: a Bibliography. Donated by Suzan Younger
- Perkins, O. T., Queen City of the Cimarron. Donated by Barbara Brixey Wiley
- Telephone Directory, Ardmore Air Park, Dougherty,, 1982. Donated by Kenneth Gerbode
- They Came from Everywhere. Donated by Mary R. & Steve McKenney
- Tulsa Co. Voting Records. 21 volumes plus Index.
- Washita County Heritage 1892-1976. Donated by Mrs. Henrietta Cragon

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- Papers for Birth Dates: Guide to the Fraktur Artists and Scriveners. 2 volumes. Donated by James B. Evans
- Papers of William Penn Volume 1, 1644-1679. Donated by Cloud Family Association
- Pennsylvania Birth, Dauphin County, 1757-1825.
- Pennsylvania German Broadside.
- Pennsylvania in the War of the Revolution. 2 volumes.
- Perry Review. 1995-98.
- Petition of 1747: a Study in York County's Founding.
- Printed Birth and Baptismal Certificates of the

- German Americans. Volume 6. Donated by James B. Evans
- Shenango United Presbyterian Church Cemetery...Lawrence County, Pennsylvania.
- Swedish Mission Covenant Church, First Covenant Church of Bessemer, Pa. Cemetery, Borough of Bessemer, Lawrence County, Pennsylvania.
- This Teaching I Present: Fraktur from the Skippack and Salford Mennonite Meetinghouse Schools, 1747-1836.
- Welcome Society of Pennsylvania. 2001. Donated by Lloyd deWitt Bockstruck
- Youngwood Cemetery.

RHODE ISLAND

- History of Kingston, Rhode Island, 1700-1900.
- Marriages of St. Ambrose Catholic Church, Albion, Rhode Island, 1905-1986.
- Marriages of St. Matthew Catholic Church, Central Falls, Rhode Island, 1906-1988.
- Marriages of the First Universalist Church, Woonsocket, RI, 1834-1998.
- Vital Records of Rhode Island. Volume 17.

SOUTH CAROLINA

- Edgefield County, South Carolina Probate Records.
- Greenville Chapter Journal.
- Historic Chesterfield County, South Carolina 1785-2000.
- History of the Lutheran Church in South Carolina. Donated by Kathleen Robertson
- Index to South Carolina County Maps: Anderson 1897, Greenville 1882 & 1904, Greenwood 1898 & Spartanburg 1887.
- Laurens County, South Carolina, Will Book A. 1840-1853.

SOUTH DAKOTA

- Irish in Dakota.
- Pictorial History of Codington County, South Dakota. Donated by Suzan Younger

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- McKenzie's History, 1869-1969. Donated by Patrick McKinney
- Memphis, Shelby County, Tennessee the Early Years: Selected Court Records & Survey Books, 1820-1850. Donated by Martha H. Eisenlohr
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TEXAS

- Baylor University...Alumni Directory, 1982.
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- Baylor University...Alumni Directory. Donated by Barbara A. Ware
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- Dallas Bar Association. 2004-2005. Anonymous donation
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- Dallas Social Directory. 2005. Donated by Lloyd deWitt Bockstruck
- Dallas Then & Now.
- DePasquale Home: 2712 48th Street, Dickinson, Texas.

Also, we have society links on our website: dallasgenealogy.org/outsidelinks/societylinks.htm, and a revised community calendar: www.dallasgenealogy.org/calendar.htm

June 24 – Family Tree Maker Interest Group
Genealogy Reports. Grapevine Public Library. 10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. Tresa Tatyrek at 972-539-7452, www.magnoliamanorgenealogy.com/ftmgroup.htm. Donations accepted.

June 24 - Fort Worth Genealogical Society
Census for Family Research - by Bettye Richhart - Fort Worth Central Library Chappell Meeting Room, Saturday 10:30 a.m. to noon.

June 26 - Fort Worth Genealogical Society
Finding Your Ancestral Land Using Family Maps. Greg Boyd with Arphax Publishing Company, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. in the Tandy Lecture Hall, Fort Worth Central Library, 500 West Third, Fort Worth. Contact Ginia Brown vbrown111@sbcglobal.net.

June 27 – Collin County Genealogical Society
Problem Solving Workshops. Need Help! Here's the Place! OPEN TO ALL. 4th Tuesday of each month, 12 months a year. Gladys Harrington Library, 7:00pm to 9:00pm

July 6 - Mid-Cities Genealogical Society
Novice Meeting at 6:00 p.m. Jane Aronhalt and society members will answer beginner's questions, Jane Aronhalt and Bernard Meisner will demonstrate the GenSmarts program, which analyzes your electronic data base and provides suggestions for further research. Contact: Norann Lustfield, norannl@sbcglobal.net.

July 7 – Sons of the American Revolution
Plan now to attend the national (SAR) Genealogy Seminar in Dallas, Texas. Speakers are Lloyd deWitt Bockstruck, Gary Boyd Roberts, Leland Meitzler, and Bill Dollarhide. Intercontinental Dallas Hotel. Cost: \$25.00 for SAR members and \$30.00 for others. For further information, contact Judge Ed Butler, at 210-698-8964 or judge58@aol.com. See www.2006sarcongress.com/genealogy.htm

July 8-12 – Sons of the American Revolution
116th Annual Congress. Location: Intercontinental Dallas Hotel. For more information, contact Barrett L. McKown at: bmckown@sar.org or see: www.sar.org/news/congress/116thCongress.html

REGIONAL and NATIONAL EVENTS

Do you have information about an upcoming Genealogy event? Remit to: Happi McQuirk, DGS Newsletter Editor, 90 days prior to event.
newsletter@dallasgenealogy.org.

July 10 – Ellis County Genealogical Society
Fred and Olivia Harrington, *A Visit to Shiloh Cemetery*. 7:00 p.m. at the Woman's Building in Waxahachie. Contact: Ina Walker, 972-923-3455, inagran@aol.com.

July 10– Grapevine Namedroppers
Turning Your Ideas Into a Book. Ed Millis. 10:00 a.m. in the Grapevine Public Library program room, 1201 Municipal Way. Contact Tresa Tatyrek: www.magnoliamanorgenealogy.com/grapevine.htm or 972-539-7452.

July 11 – Lancaster Genealogical Society
The Albion Seed. Shirley Apley. 7:00 p.m. Lancaster Veterans Memorial Library, 1600 Veterans Memorial Parkway, Contact: Lela Evans, lelaE@lancastertxlib.org or 972-227-1080 x 20.

July 12 - Fort Worth Genealogical Society
Wednesday workshop - 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. - Southwest Regional Library - Ellie Hutchison.

July 15 – Dallas Historical Society
Hands on History: The Technical Side of Oral History with Buddy Frazier. 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. Contact Frank at: 214-421-4500 x105 or frank@dallashistory.org

July 15 – Genealogy Friends of Plano Library
Carol Taylor, *19th Century Funeral Customs*. 9:30 a.m. – Noon. Gladys Harrington Library, 1501 18th St., Plano. Barbara Coakley, Program Chairperson, bjc1620@sbcglobal.net

July -Aug – Collin County Gen. Society
Regular meetings are in recess for the summer

July-Sept – Mesquite Historical & Gen. Soc.
Regular meetings are in recess for the summer
irvinggensociety@yahoo.com

July 22 - Fort Worth Genealogical Society
Beginning Genealogy - Researching at the County Courthouse - Instructor, Bettye Richhart - Fort Worth Central Library Chappell Meeting Room, Saturday 10:30 a.m. to 12 noon.

July 25 – Collin County Genealogical Society
Problem Solving Workshops. Need Help! Here's the Place! OPEN TO ALL. 4th Tuesday of each month, 12 months a year. Gladys Harrington Library, 7:00pm to 9:00pm

July 29 – Family Tree Maker Interest Group
Sourcing Other Items. Grapevine Public Library. 10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. Tresa Tatyrek at 972-539-7452, www.magnoliamanorgenealogy.com/ftmgroup.htm. Donations accepted.

July 31- Fort Worth Genealogical Society
Cite Your Sources. John Wylie, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. in the Tandy Lecture Hall, Fort Worth Central Library, 500 West Third, Fort Worth. Contact Ginia Brown vbrown111@sbcglobal.net.

August 3 - Mid-Cities Genealogical Society
Election and Installation of Officers and Annual Ice Cream Social. We meet the first Thursday of each month at the Euless Public Library. 6:30 p.m. Social time, 7:00 p.m., a short business meeting. Contact: Norann Lustfield, noranni@sbcglobal.net.

August 8 – Lancaster Genealogical Society
Blind Tigers Roam Northeast Texas, Carol Taylor. 7:00 p.m. Lancaster Veterans Memorial Library, 1600 Veterans Memorial Parkway, Lancaster. Contact: Lela Evans, lelaE@lancastertxlib.org or 972-227-1080 x 20.

August 12 - Fort Worth Genealogical Society
Summer Seminar, *Lunch with Lloyd*. Lloyd deWitt Bockstruck will speak on *Virginia Research, Migration from Virginia and South Carolina, and Research at the Dallas Genealogical Library*. 8:45 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at Diamond Oaks Country Club, 5821 Diamond Oaks Dr, South, Haltom City. Contact Ginia at 817-847-5579 or Jerry at 817-292-4420. For registration: www.rootsweb.com/~txfwgs/.

August 14– Grapevine Namedroppers
Tresa Tatyrek - *European Migration*. 10:00 a.m. in the Grapevine Public Library program room, 1201 Municipal Way. Contact Tresa Tatyrek: www.magnoliamanorgenealogy.com/grapevine.htm or 972-539-7452.

August 15 - Fort Worth Genealogical Society
Train Trip to Dallas for a day of research. Call Ginia 817-847-5579 for details.

August 22 – Collin County Genealogical Society
Problem Solving Workshops. Need Help! Here's the Place! OPEN TO ALL. Gladys Harrington Library, 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

August 26 - Fort Worth Genealogical Society

Beginning Genealogy – *Information from Archives and Libraries* - Instructor, Bettye Richhart - Fort Worth Central Library Chappell Meeting Room, Saturday 10:30 a.m. to 12 noon.

August 30-September 2 – FGS Conference

The 2006 FGS/NEHGS Conference will be held in Boston, Massachusetts at the Hynes Convention Center and will be the largest genealogical event ever held, with more than 370 educational opportunities in classes, workshops, and luncheon presentations with speakers from five countries. 888-FGS-1500, E-mail: fgs-office@fgs.org, www.fgs.org/2006conf/FGS-2006.htm

August 31- September 2 - Texas Hispanic Genealogical Conference

To be held in Corpus Christi, Texas, jgbenavide@aol.com for more details.

September 29-30 – Pennsylvania Statewide Genealogy Conference

The first statewide genealogy conference held in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania will take place in Pittsburgh. Nationally recognized speakers will talk about Pennsylvania records, the Internet and advanced genealogy. www.pagenealogyconference.com/

October 26-29, 2006 – Afro-American Historical and Genealogical Society

The 28th Annual Conference spotlights *The Legacy of Our Roots: A Heritage for the Future* to be held at the Marriott Downtown Hotel in Salt Lake City, Utah. A week of activities and visits to the world-renowned LDS Family History Library. Co-chairs: Khadijah Matin & Tamela Tenpenny-Lewis, PO Box 73067, Washington, DC 20056-3067. For more information: www.aahgs.org/conference.htm.

Oct. 21 - Nevada African American Gen. Soc.

The 6th Annual West Coast Summit on African American Genealogy, Tuscany All Suites Hotel & Casino, 255 East Flamingo Rd., Las Vegas, NV, 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Registration: \$65. After July 1, \$85. Mail to Brenda Harris, 341 Rossmoyne Ave., Las Vegas, NV 89030. Sleeping Room Rate: Oct. 20-21, \$109 per night. Call Hotel: 877-887-2261.

REGIONAL CONTACTS**Texas State Genealogical Society**

Our District 10 elected representative is: Debbie Kunze, 972-906-1972, dgtipton@sbcglobal.net.

Arlington Genealogical Society

The Arlington Genealogical Society meets at the Arlington Public Library at 101 East Abram Street at 6:30 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month (except July and August). Contact Tom Cogdell, Program Committee, tcogdell@sbcglobal.net.

Collin County Genealogical Society

Meetings on the second Wednesday of the month have been switched to W.O. Haggard, Jr. Library on 2501 Coit Road, Plano, 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Offers a troubleshooting session on the fourth Tuesday of each month at the Gladys Harrington Public Library, 1501 East 18th Street, Plano, 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Visitors are welcome anytime. Contact: Paula Perkins, lansup@ix.netcom.com, 214-704-0951, www.planolibrary.org/haglib.htm

Dallas Historical Society

Saturday adventure tours depart the Hall of State, located in Fair Park, at 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Lunch is included in the ticket price of \$35 for DHS contributors, \$45 for others. Payment at the time of requesting your reservation ensures a seat on the bus. Call Frank at 214-421-4500 x105 or email frank@dallashistory.org for information or to reserve your place. Additional events listed on: dallashistory.org/

Duncanville Genealogical Society

Meeting days have been changed to the second Thursday of the month, at 7:00 p.m., Duncanville Public Library, 201 James Collins Blvd. Contact: Marge Dellert, margegen@charter.net. There will be no meetings in December, July, or August.

East Texas Genealogical Society

Regular meetings are held on the 2nd Saturday of each month starting at 2 p.m. at the Tyler Public Library. Contact: scottfitzgerald@tyler.net for program details.

Ellis County Genealogical Society

Meets 1st Monday of month at 7:00 p.m. at the Woman's Building in Waxahachie. Contact: Ina Walker, 972-923-3455, inagran@aol.com.

Family Tree Maker Interest Group

A Special Interest Group that focuses on learning new techniques for maximizing use of the Family Tree Maker program. Grapevine Library. Normally the fourth Saturday of each month from 10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. Open to the public. Contact Tresa Tatyrek: 972-539-7452, www.magnoliamanorgenealogy.com/ftmggroup.htm. Donations accepted.

Fort Worth Genealogical Society

Meets last Monday, 7:00 p.m., Fort Worth Public Library – Central, in the Tandy Lecture Hall, Fort Worth Central Library, 500 West Third, Fort Worth. Contact Ginia Brown, vbrown111@sbcglobal.net.

Genealogy Friends of Plano Library

Meets 3rd Saturday of each month at 9:30 a.m. at the Gladys Harrington Library, Plano. Contact: Barbara Coakley, Program Chairman, 972-818-0951, bjc1620@sbcglobal.net.

Grand Prairie Genealogical Society

Meetings are held on the first Thursday of every month 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m., Grand Prairie Memorial Library, 901 Conover Drive. Barbara Wylie, Program Chair, 972-206-2723, email barb@johnwylie.com or home.comcast.net/~gpgs/index.html

Grapevine Namedroppers

Meets the second Monday of the month at 10:00 a.m., all year round, in the Grapevine Public Library program room, 1201 Municipal Way. Tresa Tatyrek: www.magnoliamanorgenealogy.com/grapevine.htm or 972-539-7452

Greater Dallas Chapter of the DAR

Meets alternate 3rd Tuesdays or Saturdays of each month at 10:00 a.m. For more information, e-mail gddar@sbcglobal.net or visit our website at: www.texasdar.org/chapters/GreaterDallas/

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Meets the 3rd Tuesday of September, November, January, March, and May, at Casa View Branch Library, 10355 Ferguson Road (intersection of Ferguson and Joaquin/Gus Thomason), Dallas, Library - 214-670-8403. 6:30 p.m. social gathering. Meeting & activities start at 7:00 p.m. Contact: Art Garza, AGarza0972@aol.com, 972-841-9455. home.earthlink.net/~hogardedallas/index.html

Irving Genealogical Society

Meets the third Monday of each month, 7:00 p.m. at the Irving Public Library. Contact: Gretchen King, gdking@ix.netcom.com.

Lamar County Genealogical Society

Contact Ron Brothers, rbrother@1starnet.com.

Lancaster Genealogical Society

Meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month at the Lancaster Veteran's Memorial Library, 1600 Veterans Memorial Parkway, at 7:00 p.m. Contact: Lela Evans, 972-227-1080 x 20, or lelaE@lancasterxlib.org.

Mesquite Historical & Genealogical Society

Meetings are held on the second Thursday of each month, Mesquite Public Library, 300 Grubb. 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. rootsweb.com/~txmhgs/page1.htm. Contact: Linda Rogers, duggie2@sbcglobal.net.

Mid-Cities Genealogical Society

Meets the first Thursday of each month at the Euless Public Library. Social time at 6:30 p.m. At 7:00 p.m., a short business meeting, followed by the program. Contact: Norann Lustfield, norannl@sbcglobal.net.

North Texas PC Users Group

Meets the third Saturday of each month at North Lake College in Irving. Check out the schedule and much more at our web site: ntpcug.org/

Pecan Plantation Genealogy Group

Meets at the Pecan Plantation clubhouse in Granbury, Texas, September through May, on the third Tuesday of each month. Contact Micki Burleson, Program Chairman, 817-578-3673, mickiburleson@charter.net.

Peters Colony Chapter of the DAR

Meets the 2nd Tuesday of each month, October-May, at 7:00 p.m. at Newman Smith High School, Carrollton. Info: www.geocities.com/Wellesley/Garden/5215/

Texins Genealogy Club

Meets the fourth Tuesday of the month in the Texins Building on the TI North Campus at 7:00 p.m. For security access information contact Jeri Steele: steele@PioneerInfo.com or 214-567-6289.

Tri-County/Roots Seekers Gen. Society

Contact: Jynelle Caffey - JCaffey259@aol.com.

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June

- 21 – Wed MacGen Reunion Group (MGRG)
- 24 – Sat DGS Lock-In
- 26 – Mon DGS General – Barbara Rust, *NARA: The National Archives—Southwest Region: A National Resource in a Local Setting*

July

- 01 – Sat Family Tree Maker (FTM) Users Group, *Charts*
- 01 – Sat Internet for the Genealogist Interest Group (IGIG), *Bureau of Land Management website*
- 01 – Sat Native American Research Group (NARG)
- 08 – Sat The Master Genealogist (TMG) Users Group

- 11 – Tue CIG – Diane Bentley, *More on Making Your Research Pretty and Ready to Publish*
- 20 – Thur Speakers Roundtable
- 24 – Mon DGS General – Gay E. Carter, *Getting the Most Out of Published Government Documents: The Title Doesn't Have to Say "Genealogy" To Be Useful.*
- 27-30 – Thur-Sun – DGS Summer Institute, Patricia Law Hatcher, Lloyd deWitt Bockstruck, John A. Sellers, *Mining for Genealogical Treasures*

See pages 102-4 for more information on events.

DGS General and special interest group (SIG) meetings are usually held on the Plaza level, in the Auditorium and East/West Rooms of the J. Erik Jonsson Central Library, 1515 Young Street, in downtown Dallas. Underground parking is entered from Wood Street.

- ❖ The DGS General Meeting takes place on the fourth Monday. We begin at 6:00 p.m. with refreshments and fellowship. At 6:30 p.m., an informal Q & A session. At 7:00 p.m., a short business meeting and program.
- ❖ The Computer Interest Group (CIG) usually meets on the first Tuesday beginning at 6:30 p.m. Business meeting/Q&A at 6:30 p.m. Program at 7:00 p.m. Dinner and socializing follow program at local restaurant.
- ❖ The African American Genealogy Interest Group (AAGIG) meets on the third Tuesday (except in the summer). Social time at 6:00 p.m. At 6:30 p.m., business meeting and program.

Bad Weather: To find out whether a DGS meeting has been cancelled in the event of a major weather situation on a meeting night, log on to: www.DallasGenealogy.org or call the genealogy section of the library at 214-670-1433.

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